

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Mail Stop: ISSUE FEE**
Susumu KOBAYASHI et al. : **Confirmation No. 4034**
Serial No. 09/910,853 : [Group Art Unit 2451
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A SYSTEM FOR
TRANSMISSION/RECEPTION
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Sir:

The Applicants hereby request that the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed with the Patent Office on September 5, 2001 be completely considered by the Examiner, as it appears that the Examiner has inadvertently failed to initial next to the Other Documents reference "AO" listed thereon. The Applicants also request that the Examiner return a completely initialed copy of the form PTO-1449 which was filed as part of the IDS of September 5, 2001. Enclosed is a copy of the PTO date-stamped IDS, form PTO-1449 and reference filed on September 5, 2001 for the Examiner's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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